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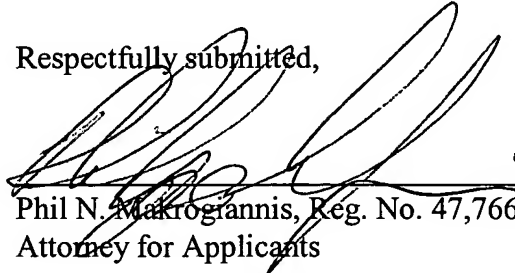
Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application, Filing Date Granted mailed May 14, 2004, Applicants submit the following documents to complete the filing for the above-identified patent application:

1. Executed Declaration (2 pages);
2. Power of Attorney or Authorization of Agent;
3. Statement Under 37 CFR 3.73(b);
4. Limited Authorization to Act on Behalf of Assignee;
5. Copy of an executed Assignment (3 pages); and
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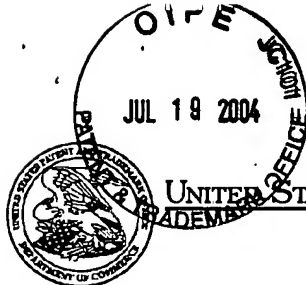


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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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*Filing Date Granted*Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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